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	6,119,150	9/12/00	Fujii et al.	709	213	1/24/97
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Title: COOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT OF DISTRIBUTED NETWORK CACHES

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## Documents Enclosed:

- 1) Information Disclosure Statement (3 pgs)
- 2) PTO 1449 (1 pg)
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Examiner: NYA

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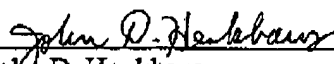
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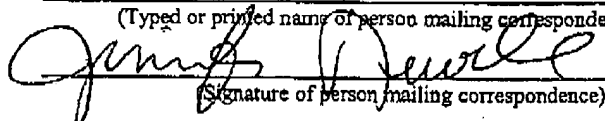
  
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